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lator Takes Hold.

NEW HIGH RECORD

fit of His

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FOR ONE SESSION

PRICE FIVE CENTS.

SENATE TAKES UP LEASE OF GONVICTS

Will Consider Employment of All Prisoners on Roads.

TO ELECT SENATOR ON JANUARY 25

Legislature Holds Inconsequential Sessions-Senator Lincoln Placed on Finance Committee-Aid Proposed for Projected Home for Wayward Girls.

Will Elect Senator.

day from the State Treasury for maintenance of each inmate.

the new revenue bills formu-the Senate Pinance Commit-presented by Senator Holt, rially increases the license of dealers in intoxicating

LEAGUE IS FORMED

s Object Is to Lower Prices by National Hoyeoff.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Washington, D. C., January 15.—The ational Anti-Food Trust League was gamized here to-night by more than 10 residents in protest against the corbitant prices charged for the necorbitant prices charged for the necorbitant prices charged for the necorbitant prices charged to gainst the corbitant prices charged to gainst the corbitant prices and John Milton secretary of the league, It is proposed to gather, 1,090,000 subscribers to the league one every State and Territory in the nion. The women heads of house-olds will be appealed to especially, bere will be no dues and no tax wied on the masses to sustain the ague.

fight.

The greatest protest of the meeting to-night came on the prices of beef. Every head of a household registered her complaint.

State organizations, subsidiary to the companies of the com

SUICIDE'S BODY IDENTIFIED

PRODIGAL RETURNS

Former Senator Foraker Pays Visit to White House.

GREAT CONFUSION PATTEN ARRIVES ATTENDS CONTEST, AND COTTON LEAPS

Body Blow Dealt to Prices Soar Skyward Anybody May Take Measure Changing Inauguration Date.

EXCITING TANGLE IS PRECIPITATED

Advocates of Rival Resolution Estimated That 600,000 Bales His Political Death So Sure That Put Up Spirited Battle-Democrats Caucus and Select Members of Ballinger-Pinchot Probing Committee. Republicans Picked.

ow was dealt in the House to-day to

CANNON NO LONGER GREAT SACRED COW

Whack at His Once Revered Head.

PRESTIGE GONE, POWER IS ENDED

Change Hands in 120 Minutes. Candidates Are Swarming After Speakership-Diek-Selling by Scales Explained as Sacrifice for Beneema, of Michigan, First to Announce Himself for Position.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Washington, D. C., January 15.—The Cannon organization of the public is Patten, the Chicago wheat and cotton

The sale of the control of the contr

MATTERS AFFECTING LABOR

TO FORM BIG CORPORATION

Project to Control Everything Pertain-

improved conditions,
"We plan to obtain control of every-thing from the raw material to the fin-ished product, and in time we expect our organization to spread to other countries."

A LEPER GENIUS

Denby enigmatically, as he turned away.

Mr. Denby could not tell what the Michigan delegation would do in support of Diekema. Charles E. Townsend is from Michigan also, and he may be a candidate for Speaker. He has been a near-insurgent, talking against the Cannon rules and voting for them.

Mr. Diekema is a member of the House Committee on the Judiciary, He was chairman of the Michigan towers the distriction of the Michigan towers that the Cannon rules and voting for them.

Mr. Diekema is a member of the House and a member of the Spanish Treaty Claims Commission. He succeded Senator William Alden Smith in the House, and his vote has been always with the regulars and opposed to the insurgents.

Thinks It Early.

"But," said Mr. Denby, "who knows whether Mr. Diekema is to be reelected to Congress; whether I am to be re-elected; whether the House will be re-elected; whether the House will be re-elected; whether the House will liar with the circumstances of his familiar with the circumstances of his

"TEDDY" LOVES A FIGHTER

"Africa, on Safarl,
"Here is the flower for Alberta,
wish I could have sent it, with may
returns, on her birthday. It was go
to hear from you. That must ha
been a rattling fight between Ketch
and Johnson is unquestion

UNIONISTS GAIN, BUT FAIL TO WIN THEGOVERNMENT

Liberals Are Returned With Majorities Heavily Cut.

STRIKING LOSSES IN POPULAR VOTE

First Day's Pollings Will Probably Prove Decisive, Defeat of Peers Being Forecast, Astor and Durand Are Among the Defeated Candidates.

BY WILLIAM T. STEAD.

not a single Liberal would be returned for London.

To-day out of ten seats the Liberals retained seven. It is true that the borough elections are not an infallible guide as to how the counties vote, but in 1885, when the boroughs went Conservative, the counties redressed the balance with such vengeance that the Liberals had a majority of 172 in the House. The chances, therefore, are that next week's pollings will be even better for the Liberals than they have been to-day.